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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re/ Application of M. Jaye, K. Doan, J. Krawiec, K. Lynch,
D. Amin, V. South, D. Marchadier, C. Maugeais, and
D. Rader

Application No. 09/277,401
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Examiner P. Tung

Compositions and Methods for Effecting the Levels of
High Density Lipoprotein (HDL) Cholesterol and
Apolipoprotein AI, Very Low Density Lipoprotein (VLDL)
Cholesterol and Low Density Lipoprotein (LDL)
Cholesterol

(Atty. Docket No. P 22,944-C USA)

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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.143 OF
THE EXAMINER'S REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION, DATED OCTOBER 2, 2001**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action of October 2, 2000,
please amend the above-identified application as follows.